

Let's Find Out About It: Tinting And Shading

Standards: CA.VA.PS.1 ELA.SL.CC.PS.1-3 ELA.RL.CS.PS.3



Materials:

- Nana In The City
- primary color paint
- white paint
- black paint
- paintbrushes
- paper
- Tints of ____ and Shades of ___ template

Preparation: Set up materials.

Vocabulary:

- dark
- light
- tint: a mixture of a color with white
- shade: a mixture of a color with black
- mix
- depict

Let's Find Out About It:

"In Nana In The City, the boy thought the city was frightening. After he wore the cape his Nana knit for him, he felt brave. What do you notice?"

"The illustrator used colors to *depict* how the boy saw the city. What do you notice?"

"Here is _____paint. I can create *tints*--make the color *lighter*--by *mixing* it with white paint. What do you notice?"

"I can create **shades**--make the color **darker**--by **mixing** it with black paint. What do you notice?"

"I can record the *tints* and *shades* of _____ I created. What do you notice?"

Show illustrations. Children respond.

Show the contrast of the darker illustrations before Nana knits his cape to the lighter illustrations after he wears the cape. Children respond.

Show materials. Model, using different amounts of white and black paint. Children respond.

Model.
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